करने की बहुत इच्छुक है और उसने सिफारिशों का स्वागत किया है ।

(ख) से (घ) भारतीय विधि आयोग ने अन्य देशों, जैसे ब्रिटेन, संयुक्त राज्य अमरीका, पश्चिम जर्मनी, आस्ट्रेलिया आदि में विभिन्न कानूनों का अध्ययन किया है । उन्होंने विभिन्न कानूनों में कुछ परिवर्तनों की सिफारिश की है । विधि आयोग की सिफारिशों को कार्यान्वित करने के संबंध में सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जायेगी ।

Consumption of Pulses

1588. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that per capita consumption of pulses in the country has been going down during the last three decades; and

(b) if so, in what manner Government propose to remove protein deficiency in the diet of the general public in the country?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (RAO BIRENDRA SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Efforts are being made to increase the production of pulses and other high protein foods like milk, eggs, fish, meat and soyabean. The import of pulses is being allowed under Open General Licence. Pulses are being sold through consumer cooperatives and super bazars.

Amendment of the Urban Land (Ceiling and Regulation) Act, 1976

1589. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA:

SHRI RAMCHANDRA BHARADWAJ:

SHRI J. P. GOYAL:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any memorandum from the Gujarat Institute of Housing and Estate Developers, wherein some suggestions have made for major modifications in the Urban Land (Ceiling and Regulation) Act, 1976; and

(b) if so, what action has been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI ABDUL GHAFOOR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Government of India is already seized of the problems raised by the Institute. A Working Group which had been constituted to suggest suitable amendments to simplify and streamline the Act had since furnished its recommendations which are under active consideration and it is not in the public interest to disclose the details.

FAO prediction on food crisis

1590. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that FAO foresees food crisis due to the fact that within 15 years more than 1000 millions people may be living in countries unable to grow enough food to feed them;

(b) if so, what is FAO's predictions for India in this regard; and

(c) what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) Yes, Sir.